PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: RIENER-2

In re Application of:)
ROBERT RIENER & RAINER BURGKART	}
Appl. No.: 10/563,003	· }
Int. Filing Date: June 24, 2004) Group Art Unit:)
,) Confirmation No.: 3970
For: RIGID BIRTH SIMULATOR HAVING AN)
INTERACTIVE OPTICAL DISPLAY)

SUBMISSION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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SIR:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States designated/elected office, mailed on April 7, 2006, setting a term for response terminating on June 7, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned to extend the period for response to above-referenced Official Action by four months from June 7, 2006 until October 10, 2006.

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- [X] Accompanying this amendment is the appropriate fee of \$795.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c) and 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).
- [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee of \$ pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c) and 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

Applicant herewith submits the following items for filing in the abovereferenced U.S. Patent Application:

- [X] An English translation of the originally filed German language application.

 The hereto attached English language text is an accurate translation of the originally filed German language application.
- [X] Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.27.
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney, dated September 14, 2006 and September 19, 2006, respectively.
- [] Assignment, signed and dated by the inventor on
- [X] The amount of \$990.00 to cover the fee of \$130.00 for filing of the application in a language other than English, the fee of \$795.00 for a four months extension and the surcharge of \$65.00 for late filing of the Declaration is being paid by Credit Card.
- [] Filing Fee.

The filing fee is calculated as follows:	
Basic National, Examination and Search Fees:	\$ 0.00
Additional Fees:	
Total number of claims: 12-20	\$ 0.00
Number of independent claims: 1-3	\$ 0.00
Submission of a multiple dependent claim:	\$ 0.00
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Reduction by 50% for a small entity	\$
TOTAL	\$

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- [X] Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States designated/elected office (DO/EO/US).
- [X] Application Data Sheet pursuant to 37 CFR 1.76.
- [X] Preliminary Amendment.
- [] Request for Corrected Filing Receipt
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement with [X] references and [X] PTO Form 1449.

Having now complied with all of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.53, applicant respectfully requests that this application be placed upon the files for examination.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

Respectfully submitted,

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